GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - M.A.&U.D. Department – Allegations of irregularities in execution of road works taken by the Kakinada Municipal Corporation and other Municipal Areas in East Godavari District against Smt B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner (i/c), Samalkot Municipality and (13) other Municipal Commissioners and engineering officials - Departmental Proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Enquiry ordered - Appointment of Sri. S.S.Varma, RDMA., Visakhapatnam as an Enquiry Officer in place of Sri K.Ramesh, the then RDMA, Visakhapatnam and presently working as Municipal Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation - Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1164 **Dated: 20-12-2018**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.688, M.A. & U.D.(Vig.I) Dept., dated: 06.12.2016.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos.689to692, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.12.2016.
3. G.O.Ms.Nos.353&354, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.10.2017.
4. G.O.Rt.Nos.700 to 708 and 710, M.A. & U.D (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.10.2017.
5. G.O.Rt.No.758, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.08.2018.
6. G.O.Rt.No.759, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.08.2018.
7. From the Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur, letter Roc.No.14103/2014/C3, dated 11.11.2018.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule-9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules read with Rule-20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner (i/c), Samalkot Municipality and (13) other Municipal Commissioners and engineering officials of Kakinada Municipal Corporation and other Municipal Areas in East Godavari District on the allegations of irregularities in execution of road works taken up in Kakinada Municipal Corporation and other Municipal Areas of East Godavari District.

2. Whereas, in the G.O.5th read above, orders were issued, appointing Sri K.Ramesh, RDMA., Visakhapatnam as an Enquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against the above said officials.

3. Whereas, in the G.O.6th read above, orders were issued, appointing Sri N.V.V.Satyanarana Rao, Addl. Commissioner, Rajamahendravaram Municipal Commissioner as Presenting Officer, to present the case before the Enquiry Officer on behalf of the Disciplinary Authorit.

4. Whereas, in the reference 7th read above, the Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur has reported that, Sri K.Ramesh, RDMA., Visakhapatnam has been transferred and posted as Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation vide G.O.Rt.No.843, MA & UD Dept., dated 05.09.2018. Sri K.Ramesh is presently working as Commissioner of Kakinada Municipal Corporation and has to conduct the enquiry, as the allegation made against the engineering officials of Kakinada Municipal Corporation, who are working / worked under the said Officer. The Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation has requested the Director of Municipal Administration to clarify how the enquiry has to be conducted i.e., either by present Commissioner to

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conduct enquiry as per G.O.Rt.No.758, MA & UD (Vig.I) Dept., dated 06.08.2018 or by an alternative Enquiry Officer to be appointed by the Government.

5. Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule-20 of A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules 1991 read with Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980, the disciplinary authority hereby appoints Sri.S.S.Varma, RDMA., Visakhapatnam as an Enquiry Officer in place of Sri K.Ramesh, the then RDMA, Visakhapatnam and presently working as Municipal Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation to inquire into the charges framed against the above said officials.

6. The Enquiry Officer shall submit his report within two months.

7. The Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Guntur and the Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, A.P., Guntur shall provide the required material such as Articles of Charges, Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officers etc., to the Enquiry Officer.

8. The receipt of G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri S.S.Varma, RDMA & Enquiry Officer, Visakhapatnam.
Sri K.Ramesh, the then RDMA, Visakhapatnam and presently working as Municipal Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation.
Sri N.V.V. Satyanarayana Rao Additional Commissioner & Presenting Officer, Rajamahendravaram Municipal Corporation
Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner (i/c), Samalkot Municipality.
Sri A.Munneswara Rao, former Municipal Commissioner, Pitapuram Municipality.
Smt U. Sarada Devi, former Municipal Commissioner, Tuni Municipality.
Sri Ch.Obulesu, former Municipal Commissioner, Tuni Municipality
(Through the DMA, AP, Guntur)
Sri D.Jayakar, former S.E., (Retd.,) Kakinada Municipal Corporation
Smt P.Satya Kumari, former EE, Kakinada Municipal Corporation
Sri S.Bhavani Sanker, former MC (i/c), Samalkot Municipality and presently working as MAE in Kovvuru Nagar Panchayat.
Sri P.Ganga Raju, former DEE, Amalapuram Municipality
Sri K. Srinivasa Rao, former DEE., Tuni Municipality, East Godavari.
Sri S.V.Satyanarayana, former AE., Tuni Municipality
Sri K.Satyanarayana, former AE, Samalkot Municipality
Sri K.Raja Rao, former AE, Amalapuram Municipality
Sri P.Srinivasa Prasad, former AEE. Pitapuram Municipality
Sri P.V.Prabhakara Rao, former AE, Kakinada Municipality
(Through the ENC (PH), AP, Guntur)
The Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Guntur.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, AP, Guntur.

Copy to:

The Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation, EG District.
The Commissioner, Tuni Municipality, EG District.
The Commissioner, Amalapuram Municipality, EG District.
The Commissioner, Samalkot Municipality, EG District.
The Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, EG District.
The Director General, GA (V&E) Department, AP, Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P.Vigilance Commission, 5th Building, A.P. Secretariat.
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